## Governor Musgrove Issues Proclamation of Support For Mississippi National Guard

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(Camp Shelby, MS) – A proclamation signed this morning by Governor Ronnie Musgrove reinforces the state's support for America's military personnel, including the Mississippi National Guard, and particularly for employers who support workers in the Guard.

"The Mississippi National Guard consistently demonstrates its value to our state and our nation," Musgrove said. "It is equally important for our citizens and employers to demonstrate their appreciation for the citizen soldiers of the Guard."

Today's proclamation states that "the Mississippi Committee for Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve, a component entity of the United States Department of Defense, plays a significant role in educating employers concerning the requirements of the uniform Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act and encouraging civilian employers to support their employees serving in the National Guard and Reserve."

Musgrove signed the proclamation during a meeting with commanding officers of the Mississippi National Guard and the 155<sup>th</sup> Armored Brigade, which is conducting its annual training at Camp Shelby.